

AMENDMENT

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please delete the Sequence Listing of record and insert the attached Sequence Listing into the application.

REMARKS

In response to the Office Communication dated May 17, 1999, Applicants have submitted the above amendment for entry in the above-identified application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821 and 1.111.

In the Office Communication dated May 17, 1999, the Examiner indicates that the previously submitted Sequence Listing fails to comply with the requirements set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.821 through 1.825. The Examiner requires Applicants to submit a Substitute computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing and a statement indicating that the computer-readable copy is identical to the paper copy of record, which actions are required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821. Accordingly, Applicants are submitting herewith a Response to the Notice to Comply, enclosing a substitute paper and computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing, along with a Verification Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f), stating that these copies are identical. The Sequence Listing of record has been deleted from the application, and the attached substitute Sequence Listing has been inserted immediately